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## Local Items

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Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will.  
In the County Court of Dakota County, Nebraska, State of Nebraska, Dakota County—ss.  
To Bertha Hoot, Annie Nuerenberger, Annada Root, Frederick A. Root, et al., all persons interested in the estate of Herman Root, deceased:  
On reading the petition of Henry J. Root, praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 11th day of July, 1937, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Herman Root, deceased, that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Henry J. Root, Sr., and Frederick A. Root as executors.  
It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said county, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1937, at 2 o'clock P. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Dakota County Herald, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.  
Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 11th day of July, A. D. 1937.  
S. W. MCKINLEY,  
County Judge.

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Fred Bargeman is the possessor of a new Dodge auto.  
Vern Altemus has purchased a new roadster with "just room enough for two."  
Wm. Lorenz was over from Westfield, Ia., Monday, seeing old friends and acquaintances.  
Fred Ochander and family, of Homer, were over Sunday visitors in the Van de Zedde home.

Lyman White came up from Woodbine, Iowa, last week and is enjoying an outing at the lake.  
William M. Berger and Jennie E. Thomas, were granted a license to wed in Sioux City last Wednesday.

Hans Johnson and family returned last Thursday from a visit with Mr. Johnson's brother in Minnesota.  
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Mrs. Mary N. Lattin returned from Moline, Ia., last week, accompanied by her grandson, Gerald Wilson.

Jess McKillips drove down from Lake Andes Saturday and visited over Sunday with his brother, Charles.

Miss Elsie Madison and two daughters were down from Emerson over Sunday, visiting at the Will Berger home.

T. E. Shanahan and wife, of Sioux City, have moved to Sioux Falls, to reside. Mrs. Shanahan is a daughter of G. W. Sayre.

Little Billy Morrison came home Monday from a visit with his grandparents at Boone, Iowa. He was accompanied by Katie Valrom.

Mrs. John Tobey and three children returned to their home at Ft. Dodge, Ia., Thursday, after a two weeks' visit here at the John Bachert home.

Mrs. Hal Bridenbaugh visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kline, in Morningside, this week. Miss Margaret Bridenbaugh was a guest in the Kline home also.

Mrs. Walter Thornley and daughter, Esther, returned to their home in Moline, Ia., Wednesday, after a several days visit here at the home of Mrs. Thornley's sister, Mrs. F. H. Forrest.

Lloyd Bouton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bouton, former residents of this county, came down from Madison, Neb., last Thursday for a few days' visit with friends and relatives hereabouts.

Mrs. Geo. Wilkins and little daughter left last Thursday for a month's visit at Lincoln at the home of Mrs. Wilkins' parents, Miss Sadie Sinclair, sister of Mrs. Wilkins, who had been here on a few weeks' visit, accompanied her.

George and John Harris, of Homer, returned Tuesday evening from Rochester, Minn., where the former was operated on recently for a cancerous growth on his lip. The last of the stitches were removed, and the physicians say that the cure is permanent.

J. J. Eimers and family and Clint Manning and wife departed for Colorado, Monday, in the former's car. They expect to return about August 1st. They will visit a sister of Mrs. Eimers at Colorado Springs, and a sister of Mr. Eimers at Pueblo before returning.

Jacob F. Leamer, and other members of Drainage District No. 2, of Dakota County, Nebraska, appeared before the board of county commissioners, on Monday, July 3, for the purpose of making their claim against Dakota county for benefits, and for construction of bridges across the proposed drainage ditch, aggregating nearly \$20,000.

Just to show what an especially interesting and independent paper it really is, the publishers of the Lincoln Journal will mail the daily and Sunday until after the presidential election for only ONE DOLLAR. It prints both sides of all questions, gives you the news events of the world and more Nebraska soldier news than any other state paper. You will want to read about our boys, wherever they go. Send your dollar for a trial during these most exciting months. The Sunday is a big special feature paper just as interesting the rest of the week as on Sunday. Address State Journal, Lincoln, Neb.

Postmaster Mell A. Schmied left last Wednesday for Mason City, Ia., to attend the annual meeting of the auditing committee of the M. B. A. order, which usually takes from two to four weeks from his duties as postmaster, and, as he says in his paper, "without asking permission of either Editors Kroesen or Ream." He might also add without the sanction of the patrons of the Dakota City postoffice, whose interests he is "supposed" to look after, and also the postoffice department, to which he is supposed to report every day's absence from the office in his quarterly reports. As long as he can fool the postoffice department with his sworn reports the public can continue to be d—d.

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## THE VOTE FOR THE AMENDMENT

Requires Only Majority of Votes on That Question to Carry—Will be on Regular Ballot

Some are afraid the amendment fight will be lost because of over-confidence, but on the other hand, some believe that a cause is hurt by making it appear more difficult than it is. Quite possibly, the latter are the more nearly correct in their diagnosis.

For instance, good workers for the amendment cause have been alarmed and discouraged because of the report that has been circulated that the amendment must receive a majority of all votes cast at the election. The report has been carried to them by ill-informed speakers.

The facts are that the amendment must receive only a majority of all votes cast on that question. The amendment will be on the regular ballot, at the top, and will be voted on the same as any other proposition on the ballot.

Straight party votes will not count for the amendment, even though the political parties endorse the amendment in their conventions.

To vote for the amendment, the voter must make his cross at the "yes" side of that question.

When the votes are canvassed, the "yes" side must have more votes than the "no" side to carry the amendment.

The only reservation is, that the "yes" side must have at least 25 per cent of all the votes cast at the election.

Initiated laws are not referred to the legislature for ratification.

That is the law regulating this kind of an amendment initiated by petitioners, and both speakers and lawyers who are presumed to know the law should post up and give out the proper information. They should also bear in mind the provision in the law which says that election boards must call the attention of the voter to the amendments on the ballot before he enters the booth. Speakers in the campaign, and workers at the polls, should see that this provision is not forgotten.

## CHANGED HIS MIND ABOUT IT

W. H. Tammen, of the Denver (Colo.) Post, who formerly opposed state-wide Prohibition because he thought it would ruin the state, recently made this statement in Wichita, Kansas:

"The terrible thing I predicted did not come with prohibition. It is doing wonders out there. Colorado is happier, wealthier, healthier, wiser and more prosperous with prohibition. I am now glad that my predictions did not come true."

An old distillery located at Macon, Georgia, has just been turned into a dairy barn.

A well-informed man of Grand Island says that a majority of the business men of that city will vote for the prohibitory amendment.

Jake Leos plead guilty on several counts of bootlegging at Stottbluff, and Judge Hobart gave him a jail sentence aggregating fifty-nine days.

Lately two boys were sold liquor in the Big Four saloon in Omaha. One of them was seventeen years of age and the other fifteen. That was a wet town.

Policeman Anderson, of Falls City, recently found four boys near the city electric light plant with some whisky. It seems that but one of them was really drunk.

E. L. Moore, of Big Springs, has been arrested on a charge of selling liquor illegally, while Pat Fekers and Harry Karas, of Gering, have both been arrested for violating the liquor laws.

The National Grange, which recently met in Wilmington, Delaware, passed strong resolutions in favor of National Prohibition. Evidently, they are like the Nebraska Grange on this question.

In Russia, the abolition of alcohol has resulted in a 50 per cent increase in the productivity of labor, and the government is sure that it did a great stroke of business in adopting the prohibitory measure.

Edward Riley, of recently fined a supplying Everett J. on Sunday. This was the wet town of the saloons are regulate

During a recent investigation conducted by United States District Attorney Whitman, it developed that every retail liquor dealer of New York paid into the protective association five dollars a month for protection purposes. This gave them a campaign fund of \$1,200,000 a year. Is it any wonder that New York state politics has been so dirty?

Frank Swan, of Falls City, was arrested on June 3rd and lodged in the county jail. Two young boys caught drinking whisky, charged that they had procured the liquor from Swan. They claim to have paid him one dollar for a quart bottle, which he concealed in a hedge fence where the boys "found" it. When tested, the whisky proved to be adulterated.

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1 can Hart's cut wax Beans.....	10c
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